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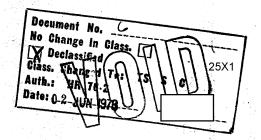
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- Several textile factories in Maribor, excluding the Mariborska Tvornica Tekstila (Maribor Textile Factory), have suspended production because of the lack of raw materials. Elsewhere also textile factories have either suspended work entirely or curtailed production. Those factories that are still operating are working at a greatly reduced strength and are producing only cloth for workers' overalls.
- 2. Workers who were laid off have been assigned to other jobs, and have been told that they will soon return to their old jebs because raw materials would be received from Great Britain and the United States.
- It has been admitted among certain members of the local population that this shortage could be ascribed directly to suspended deliveries from Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Poland and the Soviet Union.
- Currently, Italy is the only source of these raw materials.

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